

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: )  
Dennis J. Jones, Jr. ) Art Unit: 1751  
Application No.: 10/627,945 ) Examiner: Ogden Jr., N.  
Filing Date: July 24, 2003 ) Confirmation: 3664  
For: "METHODS OF TREATING AND )  
CLEANING FIBERS, CARPET YARNS AND )  
CARPETS" )

**SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

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Sir:

Pursuant to the requirements of 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, submitted herewith are documents known to Applicants and/or their attorneys. Applicants bring to the Examiner's attention the following document from the prosecution of related patent application, U.S. Ser. No. 11/041,390 (Attorney Docket Number 03269.0110U1):

1. Copy of letter from Thomas A. Hodge, Esq. on behalf of Simco Holdings, Inc., with declaration of Frank Endrenyi.

A copy of the above-listed document is enclosed herewith.

This Information Disclosure Statement is believed to be filed in a timely manner pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(c), in that neither a final Office Action nor a Notice of Allowance has been mailed to Applicants. Accordingly, Applicants enclose the fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(c)(2). A Credit Card Payment in the amount of \$180.00, representing the fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(p), is transmitted herewith. This amount is believed to be correct; however, the

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Applicants make the statement required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(c)(1):

The undersigned hereby certifies that no item of information contained in this Information Disclosure Statement was cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application, and, to the knowledge of the undersigned after making reasonable inquiry, no item of information contained in this Information Disclosure Statement was known to any individual designated in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56(c) more than three months prior to the filing of the Information Disclosure Statement.

Consideration of the cited documents and making the same of record in the prosecution of the above-referenced application are respectfully requested.

No further fee is believed due; however, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 14-0629.

Respectfully submitted,  
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